

Atty's Docket — Belersdorf 733
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Heiner MAX, et al.,

IN THE CLAIMS

Add the following new claims:

35. (New) The method of claim 30, wherein the oil phase comprises at least 10% of the total weight of the composition.

36. (New) The method of claim 35, wherein the oil phase comprises at least one thickening agent.

37. (New) The method of claim 35, wherein the cyclodextrin composition further comprises a cyclodextrin component of at least 30 wt.-% of γ -cyclodextrin.

38. (New) The method of claim 30, wherein the oil phase further comprises one or more components selected from the group consisting of esterified oils, branched or unbranched hydrocarbons and hydrocarbon waxes, silicone oils, dialkyl ethers, triglycerides of saturated and/or unsaturated fatty acids of from 12-18 carbon atoms, C₁₂₋₁₅-alkylbenzoate, dicapryl ether, and caprylic/capric triglyceride.

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CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

If any extension of time for this response is required, Applicants request that this be considered a petition therefore. Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

ADDITIONAL FEES

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REMARKS

Claims 24-34 are pending in the application. The claims have been rejected under various statutory provisions. The rejections will be addressed in the sequence in which they were presented in the office action.